



GEORGIA DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION MEDIA ALERT

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Laurens County

NEW DATE SET FOR CLOSURE ON I-16 WEST AT SR 257; DETOUR PLANNED

WHEN: 7 p.m., October 7, through 7 a.m., October 8, weather permitting

WHERE: Interstate 16 at milepost 49/State Route 257

WHAT: Interstate 16 west will be closed and traffic will be detoured using the exit 49 ramp to SR 257 and reenter I-16 using the exit 49 ramp to I-16. Minimal delays are expected. This closure is necessary for staged construction to repair the SR 257 bridge.

This is a **WORK ZONE** and extreme caution is necessary. Motorists are advised to reduce speeds as they travel through this construction work zone. Message signs, barrels and cones will be utilized to alert the public of the upcoming changes.

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